

REMARKS

This amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed February 29, 2012. Claims 43, 50, 59, 61, 63, and 70 have been amended and claims 91-94 have been canceled without prejudice. Claims 43-45, 50, 51, 59, 61-63, 67-75, and 82-87 are currently pending. No new matter has been added.

Specification Objections

The specification disclosure was objected to because of informalities. Appropriate amendments have been made. A supplemental declaration accompanies this Amendment.

Recapture

Claims 43-45, 50, 51, 59, 61-63, 67-75, 82-87, and 91-94 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 251 as being an improper recapture of broadened claimed subject matter surrendered in the application for the patent upon which the present reissue is based. The Applicant traverses this rejection.

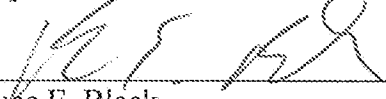
Claims 91-94 have been canceled and, therefore, the rejection of these claims is moot.

Claims 43, 50, 59, 61, 63, and 70 have been amended to recite "bifurcated arm assembly" at the positions identified in the Office Action. Accordingly, the Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of the rejections of these claims and claims 44, 45, 51, 62, 67-69, 71-75, and 82-87 which depend therefrom.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue. If the Examiner has any questions or concerns, the Applicant encourages the Examiner to contact the Applicant's representative, Bruce Black, by telephone to discuss the matter.

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